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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Socket No. : 42205/GSL/A641  
Inventor(s) : Alan L. Backus and Ron Popeil  
Title : A VENTED COUNTERTOP ROTISSERIE OVEN (As Amended)  
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**ADDRESS TO:** Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: April 2, 2001

1. ☒ **FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM** (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).

2. **IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION**

☒ This application is a continuation of patent application No. 09/502,940, filed February 11, 2000, which claimed priority from application Serial Number 09/217,944, filed December 21, 1998 now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,170,390.

Prior application information: Examiner Unknown; Group Art Unit: 1761

— This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to provisional Application No. .

3. **APPLICATION COMPRISED OF**

**Specification**

79 Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

**Drawings**

16 Sheets of drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 19)

**Declaration and Power of Attorney**

— Newly executed

— Unexecuted declaration

☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)

4. — **Microfiche Computer Program** (Appendix)

5. — **Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission** (if applicable, all necessary)

— Computer Readable Copy

— Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

— Statement verifying identity of above copies

6. **APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27**

☒ Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

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**7. ALSO ENCLOSED ARE**

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed as separate papers
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed as separate papers
- ☐ This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel , Frame
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
- ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
- ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized).
- ☐ Other

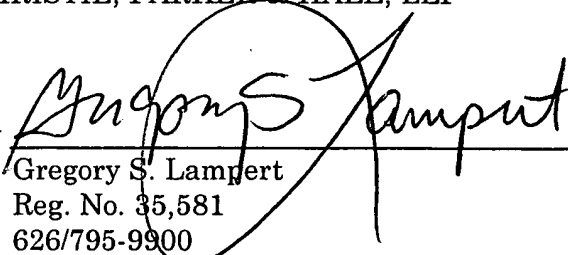
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**FEE DETERMINATION**

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	19 - 20	0	0 x \$9.00	0 x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3	0	0 x \$40.00	0 x \$80.00	\$0.00
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE			\$135.00	\$270.00	\$0.00
BASIC FEE			\$355.00	\$710.00	\$355.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$355.00
List Independent Claims: 72, 83					

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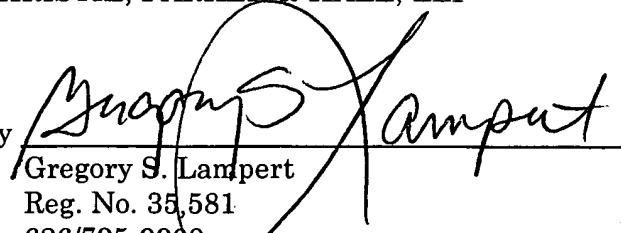
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